

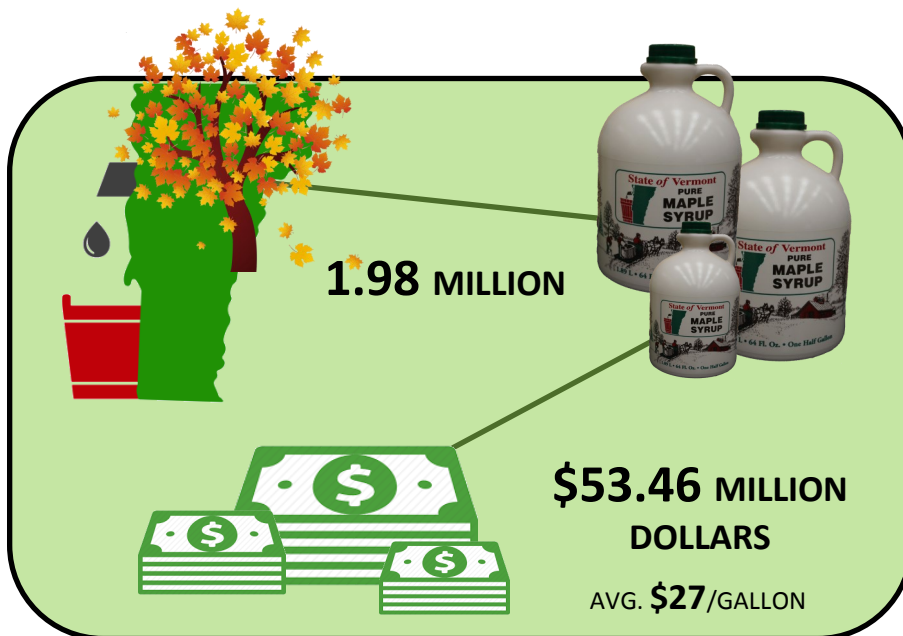
2018 VERMONT MAPLE SEASON STATISTICS

5.67 MILLION MAPLE TAPS IN 2018, 5 PERCENT MORE THAN DURING THE 2017 SEASON

1.94 MILLION GALLONS, DOWN 2 PERCENT FROM 2017, STILL 50% OF U.S. MARKET

YIELD PER TAP ESTIMATED TO BE 0.342 GALLON, DOWN 7 PERCENT FROM 2017

2017 VERMONT MAPLE SEASON VALUE



VERMONT'S MAPLE INDUSTRY

Once again Vermont led the nation in making maple syrup in 2018, producing nearly 2 million gallons of the sweet product. It means about half of the maple syrup produced in the United States is made in the Green Mountains.

2004 – 1 million taps / 2017 – over 5 million taps.

In 2017, Vermont produced **1.98 million gallons of maple syrup**, second highest total on record.

In 2017, Vermont led the country in maple production with nearly **50% of the U.S. crop.**

ACCORDING TO THE USDA, **APPROXIMATELY 4,000 JOBS** ARE CREATED AND SUPPORTED BY THE VERMONT MAPLE INDUSTRY.

